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The Boyd Family of Pleasant Hill, in whose conversion Temple Hill Discourses played a decisive role, discuss a teaching aid with one of those responsible for their joining the Church. From left to right are President W. GLENN HARMON, faculty member, BILL BOYD, Sister FLORENCE BOYD, Brother FRANK BOYD, FRANK BOYD, JR., Elder BRYCE BATEMAN, a stake missionary who worked with the Bonds, and Elders LAEL EDDINS (seated) and JAMES D. THOMPSON, district and zone leaders of the Walnut Creek Stake area in the Northern California Mission.

SCHEDULE OF DISCOURSES

WELCOME: You and your friends are invited to this series of free lectures that deal with subjects that concern us all.

Sun. May 8 2:30 DIVINE AUTHORITY AND THE CHURCHES. Speaker: ELDER SAMUEL L. HOLMES

Sun. May 15 2:30 WHY MORMONS BUILD TEMPLES. Speaker: ELDER DELBERT F. WRIGHT

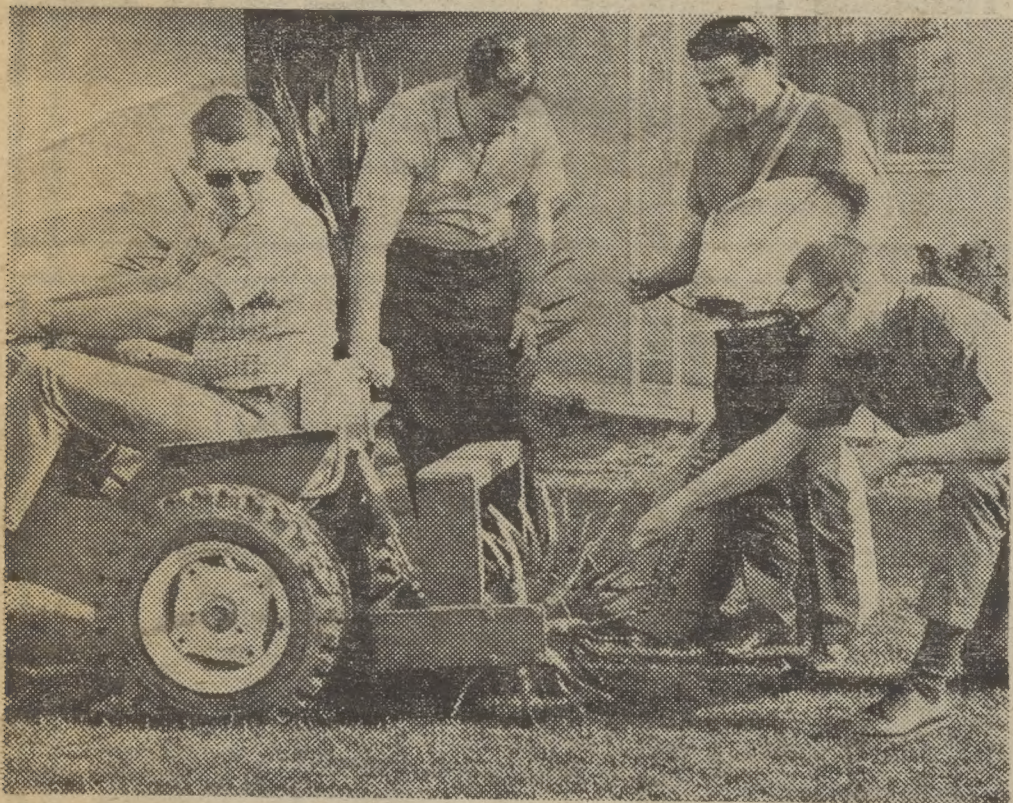
Sun. May 22 2:30 REASON AND REVELATION IN THE MODERN AGE. Speakers: ELDER W. GLENN HARMON

Sun. May 29 2:30 YOU DETERMINE YOUR OWN SALVATION. Speaker: ELDER LELAND J. FIFE

Place: Oakland Ward Chapel; adjacent to the Oakland Temple 4780 Lincoln Avenue; Oakland.

San Mateo Stake

Green Lawns Show Elders Active



Demonstrating lawn fertilizer project are four members of the 2d Quorum of Elders San Mateo Stake. From left; Lorin Peck, Bill Greenburg, John Arishita and Fred Streuling.

By Samuel W. Taylor

Lawns are greener this spring on the San Francisco Peninsula because of the 2d Quorum of Elders, San Mateo Stake.

As a quorum project, the elders are selling fertilizer, which every lawn needs. After four weeks in operation, quorum members have delivered four tons of the material in 80-lb. bags, at a saving of \$1 a bag to the customer and a profit

of \$1.80 a bag for quorum funds.

The project was suggested by Elder John Arishita, a professional gardener, and quickly approved by the quorum presidency. President Lorin Peck is in charge, with Elders Bill Greenburg project director, John Arishita purchasing agent Fred Streuling advertising manager Ken Wallace sales manager and Phil Nielson delivery manager.

'Red Shoes' Stars Berkeley Junior

Leslie Ann Stevenson 16, of Berkeley Ward was selected by the Xanadu players for the role of Karen in the current production of "Red Shoes."

The show under direction of Virginia Maynard, is "family entertainment." The performance at Walnut Creek Civic Arts Theater will be repeated at 2:30 p.m.; May 28 and June 4. It will also be presented at Berkeley High School Little Theater 2 p.m. May 7 and 14 and at Merritt College campus 8:30 p.m., May 20 and 21.

Adventist Choir At Interstake Center

The Greater Bay Area Symphonic Choir of the Seventh Day Adventist Church will present a concert of sacred music at 8:15 p.m. Saturday May 14, at the East Bay Interstake Center. Through their choir manager, Keith Wightman, invitation has been extended to all members of the L.D.S. Church to come and enjoy this concert.

The Greater Bay Area Choir is a layman's organization of Seventh Day Adventists. It was organized four years ago as an avocation for musicians in their church who have chosen another profession as a means of livelihood. Conductor of the choir is Ivalyn Law-Biloff, organist is Beverly McDonald and pianist; Bernice Vipond-White. The choir is in harmony with L.D.S. philosophy that "music was made to serve a holy purpose." The choir was performed for several other churches in the Bay Area.

The program on May 14 includes:

Almighty God of Our Father — Will James.

O Morn of Beauty — Sibelius
Beautiful Saviour — Christiansen
Solos — Olga Aaby, Lavon Tryon
Awake The Harp — Haydn

Choir

Nearer, My God, To Thee — Mason

Combined Music Festival May 29

By Jean Lauper

The combined ward choirs of San Francisco Stake will present a music festival Sunday evening, May 29.

Choirs from Balboa Balboa 2d Daly City, Mission; Polynesian and Sunset Wards, with their directors and organists will participate. Floyd E. Beattie will be the narrator and several of the finest young musicians in the stake will appear as guest artists.

Preceding the scheduled program, Bishop Samuel C. Chandler will pay tribute to Memorial Day.

The Festival will be held in the Sunset-Balboa Wards' Chapel, 22nd Ave. and Lawton St. at 7:30 p.m. Jean Lauper is stake music director and Lucille Blake stake organist. All members and their friends are invited to attend.

'Castle Capers' Set For June 10

"Castle Capers" or "A Knight in a Daze"—a full evening's entertainment "packed with zing and zip" will be presented Friday, June 10 at 8 p.m. in the Eastbay Interstake Center.

The music, dance and fun show staged by Sacramento Stake will be presented by San Lorenzo and San Lorenzo wards. Suggested donation is \$1.00.

Sacramento Stake has gained wide recognition including special recognition from the MIA General Board for outstanding musical and dramatic productions; due to a staff of directors and some enthusiastic highly capable talent.

Producer Larry Shumate; Dr. Gaylen Hatton as orchestral director and compose; dance choreographer Marianne Hatton; Peggy Scherman; in graduate work in drama; and Helen Butler; church choral director head a list of top-level talent for the June 10 production.

Men's Choir

Jesus, The Very Thought of Thee — arr. Hooper

Solo — Carol Rowland

Springs In The Desert — Jennings

A Song of Heaven and Home — Sankey

O Watchers of the Stars — Cain

Choir

Come Unto Me — Franz Listz-Wilson

Women's Choir

No Man Is an Island — Whitney-Gramer

Nazareth — Gounod

Sanctus — Gounod

Solo — Avonelle Remboldt

Unfold, Ye Portals — Gounod

Choir

The Lord Bless You — Lutkin



President DELBERT F. WRIGHT of the Oakland Temple will be a guest lecturer in the May schedule of Temple Hill Discourses. He will speak on "Why Mormons Build Temples" at 2:30 p.m. May 15 in the Oakland—Oakland 3d Ward Chapel.

Also scheduled to speak in May are three lecturers who have been members of the faculty of the Sunday afternoon series since its beginning last fall. Elder Samuel L. Holmes of Lafayette Ward will speak at 2:30 p.m. May 8 on "Divine Authority and the Churches." Two weeks later President W. Glenn Harmon lectures on "Reason and Revelation in the Modern Age." Bishop Leland J. Fife concludes the present schedule May 29 with "You Determine Your Own Salvation." All lectures begin at 2:30 in the Oakland—Oakland 3d Ward Chapel.



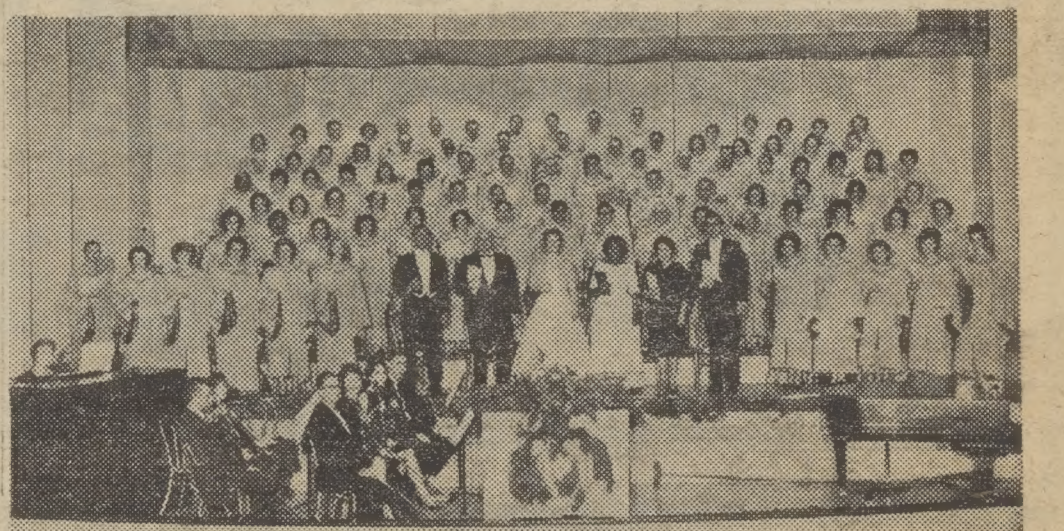
Leland J. Fife

Meeting Speakers

Oakland-Berkeley Stake's quarterly conference was held April 23 and 24 in Oakland.

Elder David G. Thomas of the Priesthood Home Teaching committee and Elder David L. McKay of the Sunday School General Board spoke.

Stake President O. Leslie Stone; 44 Bellevue Avenue; Piedmont conducted.



Temple Hill Concerts

Esther Johnson In Return Performance

By Frances S. Beniams

A highly regarded but modest artist of our area is Esther L. Johnson organist. She will play the organ recital on the regular first Sunday of each month concert series at the Interstake Center at 4 p.m. Sunday; June 5.

Mrs. Johnson will play a varied and interesting program, highlighting two great composers; Johann Sebastian Bach and a living composer Herman Berlinski. An impeccable artist and a fine music scholar she plays regularly in San Francisco at St. Mark's Lutheran Church. She is secretary of the American guild of organists San Francisco chapter, is one of its past deans; and is active in top music circles here and in the east.

One of her pupils will be on next month's concert—July is stellar student month.

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15th Anniversary Of Chapel Dedication Observed In Mission Ward



Mission Ward will celebrate the 15th anniversary of the dedication of its chapel in September. The building was dedicated Sept. 30, 1951, by Elder Ezra Taft Benson. Members of the choir shown in this picture played a special part in the dedication ceremonies. Choir president was Marius Jensen, 1st counselor in the bishopric then, now deceased, conductor was Ida O'Brien, Ledy Petree was organist, and Vauna Lou Davis was secretary. Only four members of the Mission Ward choir that sang at the dedication of the ward chapel 15 years ago still live in the ward. Can YOU find them in this picture? They are GAURDELLO and MAE HUNTER and RICHARD and RUTH DUANE.

Oakland 3d Ward

Deckers Home From Scotland

By Mary E. Roelle

Carl and Esther Decker, returned from their labors in Scotland, gave their report in Sacramento meeting, March 13. Their daughter Wanda, also returned from a mission in Scotland, gave her report March 27.

Patricia P. Roark was baptised by Joe Allen and confirmed by Arden Allen, March 6. The infant daughter of Delwin and Sheila Bond was blessed and given the name of Elizabeth Bond. Robert Tony was ordained to the office of deacon and Albert R. Coleman to the office of teacher in the Aaronic Priesthood.

Wes Matheson, son of Kenneth and Emma Matheson, has become engaged to Lois Cagle of Fresno. They met through music, as both are members of the A Capella choir at B.Y.U. Wes' brother Ken met his wife while they were members of the band at B.Y.U. Sister Matheson says her youngest son Larry thinks perhaps he should avoid taking any music for the present. Sister Emma Matheson just celebrated her twenty-fifth anniversary as organist for our ward.

California Youth Symphony Due At Interstake Center On June 4

Oakland 5th Ward will sponsor a benefit concert by the world-famous California Youth Symphony Orchestra at 8 p.m. Saturday June 4 in the Inter-Stake Center.

This is the same youth symphony that toured Japan in 1963 and received high praise from the State Department. This summer

they will tour Mexico and he featured in the Music Festival at Acapulco. They plan to tour Europe in 1967.

This will be the first appearance of the California Youth Symphony in the East Bay. In San Francisco an audience of 3000 gave the orchestra a 30-minute standing ovation.

The Symphony is made up of 114 young people under eighteen who come from communities of the bay area.

Proceeds from the concert will be shared by the California Youth Symphony and Oakland 5th Ward welfare fund.

Donations of \$2.00 a person are suggested. For ticket information call 658-0825; 655-1116 or 444-4397.

East Bay Logan Alumni Elect

New officers for the coming two years were elected by East Bay alumni of Utah State University at their annual dinner meeting at Pleasant Hill March 19. The new slate include De Val Robins, Alamo, president; Harry Hathorn, Livermore, vice president; and Gloria Heiner, Hayward, secretary.

Highlight of the evening was vocal and piano music by some attractive students of the university who, travel to California with Mr. and Mrs. 'Swede' Larson. 'Swede', secretary of the alumni association, brought Old Aggie up to date on campus growth and brought back memories, too, with some excellent colored slides. Joe Muir, outgoing president, made arrangements for the dinner and presided over the meeting.

The group from Logan also met with the Golden Gate Chapter on the peninsula the night before. One problem of the alumni association of any college is keeping up with addresses of its graduates. It is estimated that they move five times the first four years after graduation. If you should have been invited to one of these meetings and weren't, please let Swede Larson know your address.

(And where were YOU, Ed?)
(I went to the Berkeley, not Logan branch. Ed.)

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There wasn't room for this blurb last month. There wasn't room to remind you that YeOlde Ed. was starting his fourth year in the chair. Thanks for putting up with him. He loves you all and is grateful for the opportunity to serve you in the work he knows and loves best.



Sister VERNA JOHNSON, who conducted the MIA Youth Chorus through long weeks of rehearsals and then during the sensational success of the 1964 Temple Pageant "And It Came To Pass," is recovering from surgery on her "conducting arm" that prevented her appearance in the 1965 pageant, continues to inspire the youth of the Church with her enthusiasm and example despite illness. This old picture is run in response to requests from many of her young friends. Sorry it's the only one we had available on short notice.

Primary Changes
In Mission Ward

Betty Martinson is the new Mission Ward Primary President. Former president Sonja Taylor, is the new in service worker. New Primary secretary is Maie Buckley daughter of Sister Martinson Mrs. Lucinda Wight is a new Primary worker.

University Ward

'Happy Reasons'
Add Memberships

By Dorine S. Jespersen

University Ward membership has increased recently for several happy reasons. In February, David Essex and Stanley Keil Cal students; Paul C. Sholberg who attends Diablo Valley College, and Haernan Orellana of Chile, studying at Merritt College, were baptized. Then in March, April Rhyne, also a Cal student, became a member of the Church. Their testimonies have helped strength all who have heard them.

Kevin, son of Cheryl and Lynn Teuscher, qualified them for a larger apartment with his arrival Jan. 20 and they moved the last of February.

Steven James, Betty Jo and Larry Cannell's son was born Feb. 10 and already has a definite say in the running of the household.

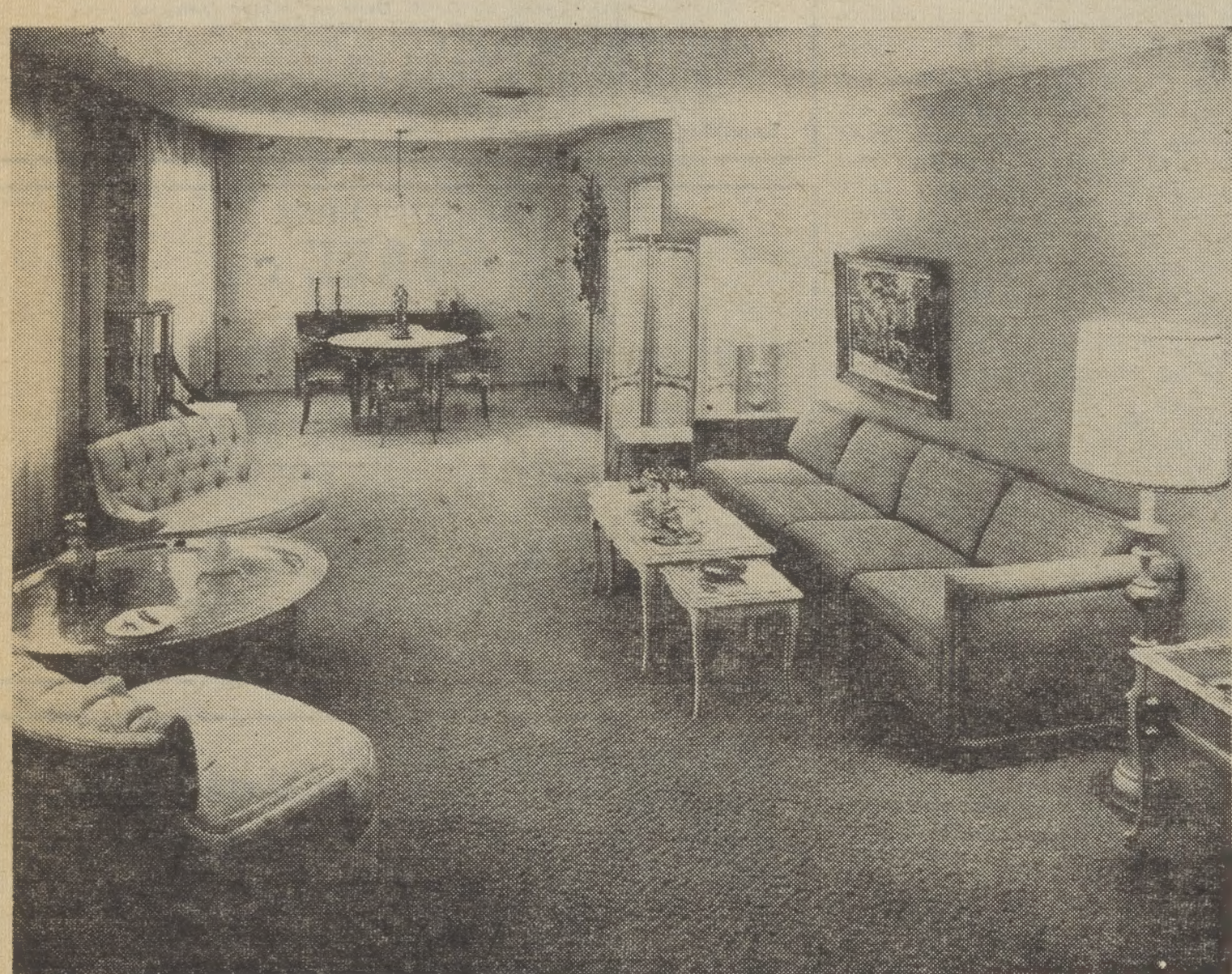
The extra sparkle about Millie and Sterl Miller was induced with the birth of their daughter, Cynthia, born March 8.

Cupid let his whereabouts be known during February. David Essex and Tamara Sawyer are engaged and Joan Merrill is wearing Reed Davis' Lambda Delta Sigma pin. Gary Lobb and Ann West of Menlo Park will be married April 5 in the Logan Temple.

The Young Marrieds enjoyed a Saturday afternoon session at the Temple and a pot luck dinner afterward March 12. More Temple excursions are planned.

In the M.I.A. Gay and Diana Morley are now the new leaders of the Young Marrieds, replacing Walter and June Tiff.

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Jessie Lund

Funeral Services for Sister Jessie C. Lund widow of Albert Lund, were held March 18. She was the mother of A. Wallace Lund, grandmother of Mrs. Marcia Odom, and Miss Kristan Lund and great-grandmother of Paige and Tracey Ogden; Utah. She was an active visiting her son and family at Odom. Sister Lund died while member of Oakland 2d Ward and Daubhter of Utah Pioneers.

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Two "old" San Francisco Postmen retire, Brother KENNETH M. GLEW (left) receives a certificate of meritorious service to the postoffice from Postmaster JOHN F. FIXA on the eve of their retirement Dec. 30, 1965.

By Jonas Heaton
More than 2½ times around the world is the distance Brother Kenneth M. Glew figures he walked in 27 years as a postman in

the city of San Francisco. And in that time he carried more than a million pounds of mail.

Recently retired, the robust, energetic Brother Glew, 62, resides with his wife Hilma at 591 2d Avenue, San Francisco. Known to members of San Francisco Stake as an enthusiastic worker

On Church assignments, he's not worried about something to do. As an alternate high councilman he has charge of buildings and grounds for San Francisco Stake and is assigned also to the Stake Farm. He and Sister Glew spend two days a week at the Oakland Temple. "And there is plenty of other work to be done in the Church," he says. "So I'm not worried about keeping busy."

Brother Glew worked out of the main post office in San Francisco and spent 17 years covering the same route near 4th and Howard Streets, the area known as Skid Row. "If you want to see what alcohol does to a man," he hang around the street corners in ching the down-and-outers who hang around the street corner in that part of the city. They've lost their pride, and they spend all their time trying to get money for another drink. They don't seem to think about anything else. It's sad to realize that there are very few of them who'll ever be any different."

Brother Glew was converted to the Gospel by his wife, the former Hilma L. Sund, in 1931. Since then he has served in a number of Church assignments, including eight ears as first counselor in the bishopric of San Francisco Ward. He spent many years on assignments in the welfare program of San Francisco Stake and is still active in this work through his farm assignment.

He recalls that with few exceptions people along his postal route have been "very nice." Like any veteran postman though, he's had difficulties with dogs. "One time I got bit up good," he says, "and had to take fourteen

rabies shots. That was almost worse than the bite," he added with a grimace.

Although he keeps busy most of the time, he appreciates a chance to rest. "I will say it's nice to sleep in once in a while now," he says, "rather than getting up at 5 a.m. every day."

Brother Glew attributes his health and energy to the Word of Wisdom and to the several miles of exercise he got as a postman each day. He recalls that during WWII postmen used to work 16 hours a day and six or seven days a week. "Conditions are better

now," he says. "The pay is good and the hours are reasonable." His Church assignments keep him too busy to maintain an active interest in sports or hobbies. But, perhaps indicating the reason he chose a career as postman, his favorite sport is hiking.

Lillie May Ditter

Service were held March 2, for Sister Lillie May Ditter. Surviving are her husband Harry O. Ditter, who died a few days after her death, two sons, Lester N. Downing, and Ralph T. Dowling; and daughter Mrs. Laeria Ruge, Mrs. Arvilla Young.

Sister Ditter was a member of a Richmond ward before coming to Oakland 2d Ward. She had served as president of the Relief Society of a Richmond ward. During the last years of her life her activities had been curtailed because of illness. She kept in touch with the Church through te visiting teachers.

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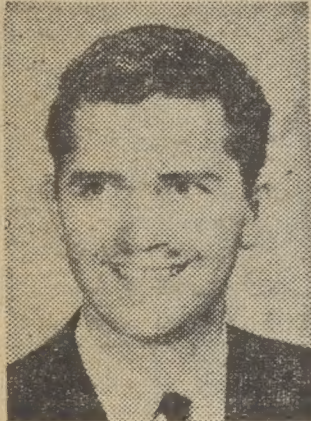
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Oakland 3d Ward Bazaar Held

Oakland 3d Wards bazaar was held in the Interstake Center April 28 and 29 with dinner served on Thursday the 28th. Our bazaar is now becoming a semi-annual affair.

We have two new counselors in the elders quorum presidency; Jack A. Harvath and Robert Phillips.

Joe Harris; formerly of Oakland 3d Ward; is no bishop of his ward in Portland; Oregon.

The Stephen family Roy and Delight welcomed a baby daughter into their home and named her Mari. This makes two children for the Stephens.

Joe Allen and Patricia Roark have announced their engagement.

Bishop John C. Parry

Funeral services were held April 27 for Bishop John C. Parry, former bishop of Irvington Ward, who died suddenly at his home April 24. He leaves his wife Jean their four children, Susan John Elizabeth and David, four sisters and two brothers.

The beautiful new chapel in Fremont which he did so much to help build was filled with many friends who came to honor and mourn him. Tributes were spoken by Raymond E. Lloyd Wilbur Moulton and Bishop Byron Crosby. Bishop Calvin Jbson conducted the services.

Bishop Parry was born in Cedar Rapids Iowa, November 14, 1919, joined the Navy in 1942, and met his wife-to-be Jean Coombs in Logan, Utah; during his stay there in radar school. He became a member of the Church in 1946, filled a stake mission and other responsible callings. At the time of his death he was ward clerk in Fremont 4th Ward. He was bur-

Know Your Religion Series Continues

Third in a series of lectures presented by Brigham Young University California Center for continuing education will be held at 8 p.m. May 7 in the Palo Alto Stake Center 1105 Valparaiso Menlo Park.

Previous speakers were Lynn A. McKinlay and Dr. David Yarn, Jr.

Topic of the will be "Peace In A Troubled World." It will be given by the chairman of the Graduate Department of Religion at Brigham Young University, Dr. Chauncey C. Riddle. Brother Riddle is a professor of philosophy besides his chairmanship and received his Ph.D. from Columbia University. He has been involved in administration of Church organizations; serving as a bishop on three different occasions.

held in Golden Gate National Cemetery, San Bruno. His father-in-law M. V. Coombs dedicated the grave.

Oakland Wards Combine Fetes

By Mary D. Westover

Oakland and Oakland 3d Wards combined for a country store welfare bazaar.

The wards also combined in their Gold and Green ball, March 19 in the Interstake Center Recreation Hall. Jimmy Blass and his combo furnished live music, and the decorations were outstanding. Frank Streeter and his wife were in charge of this portion. Both the MIA groups and their parents were there and it was a "memory book" occasion.

The Aaronic Priesthood and Scouting programs are notably active this year. Not only are the boys earning advancement in the Priesthood program, but they are having a lot of fun. Two boys will soon be taking their Duty to God awards, and the following have earned certificates of achievement: (priests) Hris Fernsten, Ken Minor, Dave Stoddard, Lester Johnson, Aaron Johnson, Ken Lehman and John Tarochlone; (teachers) Craig Evans, Mark Yoacham, John Farbnp, Doug Higham, and John Leighton; (deacons) Daryl Peterson, James Stoddard, Alan Simons, Jack Peterson and Jeff Kassow.

The Cub Scout Blue and Gold dinner was held Feb. 28 for the Cubs and their parents. Besides the spaghetti dinner, cakes baked by the Cubs themselves were auctioned off to defray pack expenses, and awards were given John Garard, Keith Fletcher, Rhett Fernsten, Ronnie Hilton and Scott Douglas. Jan Pierre is the new Cubmaster, and plans are being made for the summer camp.

The Scouts had an overnight trip into the Sierra to Blue Canyon, which all enjoyed very much. The Explorers had a camp-out in the Santa Cruz area the week-end of March 11, getting ready for their annual trip to Canada this summer.

Alan Simons, Craig Evans, and Doug Higham participated in dedication of the flagpole in front of the Temple. Delbert Wright, president of the Oakland Temple offered the dedicatory prayer, and O. Leslie Stone and Paul Warnick of the stage presidency the Northern California Mission, and Paul Summerhays of the Information Bureau of the Temple took part.

The spring luncheon of the Relief Society was held March 16. Decorations were in the spring garden theme and the program included a book review and musical numbers by a string trio.

The Senior Saints fireside for March included a talk by Dave Shaw on New Zealand where he recently completed his mission, and showed slides of the Temple. After the organizational business meeting there was a talk on testimonies by Mary Westover.

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Golden Swan Gets Drippy Schnozzle

A golden swan, carved out of glistening ice, was in the center of the flower-bedecked tables arranged in star shape when Hayward Relief Society and partners celebrated the birthday of the Relief Society—its 124th.

The program was written and directed by Gertrude Lesser, with other arrangements under the direction of President Dorothy Shane

Corsages created by Mary Crockett were presented to the sisters having 100% in their visiting teaching for a year. Flowers were also presented to Bishop Bernard Stewart and his wife Madge, whose birthdays almost coincided with the Relief Society birthday.

The lovely swan was sculpted by Alvin Taylor, but, sad to relate, it appeared to have caught cold during the evening, for its nose was dripping.

Polynesian Ward

Costume Party Aids Fund Drive



Front: (left to right) Mrs. Nora Te'o counselor; Mrs. Agnes K. Utu; president, and Mrs. Essa Svabeck, counselor, in the Relief Society presidency. Rear: Mrs. Pai, Mrs. Niko Niko; and Wayne Selu.

By Leonard W. Cryer
Polynesian Ward Relief Society sponsored a special fund raising event an original Hawaiian costume party. Judges selected the couples who had the most colorful Polynesian-type garments.

Prizes were awarded the top couples.

Music for the event was provided by Wayne Selu; Niko Niko and other professional musicians in the ward. The four Selu sisters opened the special entertainment provided by the Relief Society. Members performed several Polynesian dance numbers.

Mrs. Agnes K. Utu her counselors Mrs. Nora Te'O and Essi Svabeck and the many others who participated are congratulated for their success.

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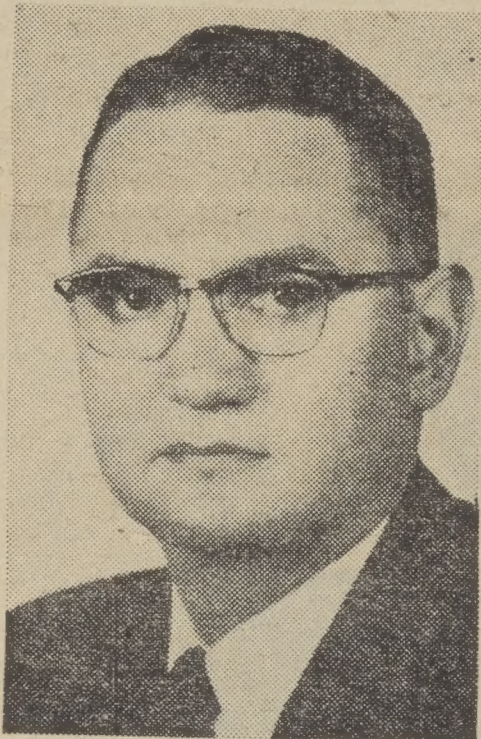
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Bay Ward

New Genealogical Chairman Announced

By Karla Chidester

The Genealogical Committee has been reorganized. Bishop Parley J. Livingston is chairman and Olof Nordin assistant chairman. Members include sisters Donna Craner, Beatrice Everett, Lona Hawkins, Janet Erlbeck, Naureen Daines and Brothers Orlyn Christofferson and Carl Bergman.

April 16 was Bay Ward day at the stake farm. Brother John Greene was in charge of arrangements. Thirtyfour members participated in weeding around Christmas trees. A barbecued chicken luncheon was served.

Sister Barbara Jarman has been called as choir director. Ted Hopkins is choir organist. This choir is practicing for ward conference. The male chorus is preparing a number for the Priesthood meeting.

Hayward Stake

Athletes, Laurels Win Recognition

A smiling group of girls from Hayward 2d Ward stood up in stake conference to acknowledge the sportsmanship award presented to them for their participation in the recent six-stage YWMIA basketball tournament. The award was made by Virginia Jones, stake MIA sports director, and received by coach Martin.

In M Man basketball Centerville Ward, playing under the old rules, (the unlimited division) won the stake championship, defeated all they met in zone championship (108 wards), and showed impressive results in reactivating Church members, introducing the program to non-members, and baptizer six men. Bishop Jackman received the plaque awarded for winning in the zone, and he, the coach and the players were each presented a tie clasp and cuff links to commemorate the victory.

Presentation of the senior Laurels was a highlight of the Hayward Stake annual Gold and Green Ball at Fremont 1st and 2d ward chapel March 26. Music was furnished by "The Contrasts" orchestra and arrangements were under direction of Maurine McKinley, YWMIA president Eugene Urie, YMMIA president, and Jane Sylvestor, music director. MIA members of all ages attended.

DVC Institute

By Sandra Pratt

Institute at Diablo Valley College, Concord is well along in the second semester with the following schedule: Monday and Wednesday, 1 to 2 p.m., DVC Room E-111—Courtship and Marriage; Tuesday 7 p.m., Pleasant Hill Chapel—The Gospel in Principle and Practice; Wednesday, 7 p.m., Concord Chapel—Highlights of the Book of Mormon.

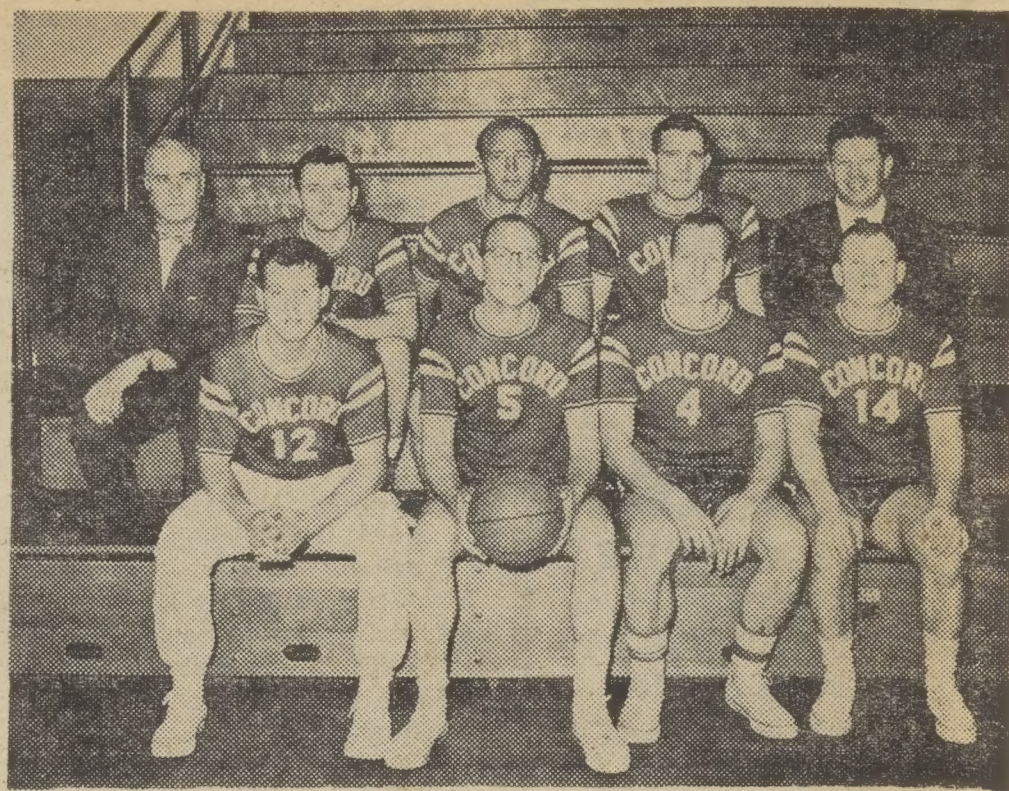
Among the attractions of Institute recently was a preview of a multi-million dollar motion picture soon to be produced, "The Sign of the Sword." The preview was on slides and tape.

"Heart Hop" was held Feb. 12 at the home of Brother West, Institute director. An M-Men and Gleaner firesire held Feb. 2 had an interesting speaker and delicious refreshments. Feb. 25 and 26 was an overnight snow trip to Squaw Valley. Feb. 26 was also the date of a six-stake special dance.

Then on March 19 was a car rally, March 26 another six-stake dance at Oakland 3d Ward social hall (next to the Interstake Center).

The week of April 10 to 17 is M-Men and Gleaner Week, with a special activity each night.

Those eligible who don't participate are depriving themselves of a good time and the rest of us of knowing them better.



Concord Ward Concord Stake, won 3d place in the all-Church basketball tournament senior division. Players were RON WILLIAMS, RICHARD LA POINT, LYNN WIDDISON, MIKE SWEENEY, GARY SEIPERT, and BRUCE ROSSBERG. Manager was MAC DURANT, Coach JOHN COX. Their week started with Boise and they won 61 to 41, Tuesday they beat Riverside Ward of Salt Lake City 65 to 48. Wednesday the victim was Brigham City 16th Ward, 71 to 57. Thursday they bowed to Granger 3d Ward 62 to 45. Friday they beat Orem 14th Ward 61 to 53.

Well done!

'Pops' Keahili Hau

Polynesian Ward has lost its beloved, unofficial photographer. Joseph M. (Pops) Keahili Hau, 61, died March 28. Funeral services were held under ausices of the ward March 31.

Brother Keahili Hau, an elder, and native of Hawaii, had recorded in color many of his ward's activities through his hobby of photography. He had worked as a longshorman in San Francisco for many years.

Surviving are daughters (Auntie) Mary Keahili Hau and Mrs. Harriet Spalding of San Francisco.

Mrs. Lenore Russell of Norfolk, Va., and nine grandchildren.

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Pittsburg Ward

Clean Sweep In Volleyball

By Bots Barrus and Thora Astle

VOLLEY BALL CHAMPS! ! ! Pittsburg Ward made a clean sweep in the Y.W.M.I.A. Concord Stake volleyball tournament April 2. All divisions, senior, junior and Beehive came through in first place. This makes the eighth consecutive year for the junior team to win top spot in the stake tournaments. Pat Barrus, sports director worked in improving the skills which carried the teams to victory and Maxine Buccellato, activity counselor spent many hours in recruiting making physical arrangements and procuring uniforms for the girls.

Team participants were: senior team —Pat Barrus captain, Maxine Buccellato Vera Campbell Boots Barus, Bobbie Neves, Doris Schooner, Shirley Morrison, Barbara Hollingshead, and Ceciela Mechem; junior team — Tina Buccellato, Vicki Cooks, Leslie Barrus, Karen Younce, Joan Magleby — captain, Shelia Morrison, Cheryl Dozier and Evelyn Dutton; Beehive team — Mary Ellen Muceus, Karen Morrison, LuAnn Cooks, captain, Carla Dortzbach, Joanne Campbell and Kathy Dutton.

One of the outstanding events of the M.I.A. year was the recent

speech meet held annually in the Church. Twenty-five young people participated in a class speech meet with the winner of each class moving into the ward speech meet level. Representing the classes were Scouts — Stanford Magleby, Beehives — Mary Ellen Muceus, Mia Maids — Vicki Cooks, Laurel — Joan Magleby, and Explorer — Bill Campbell. The winner Mia Maid Vicki Cooks, represented Pittsburg Ward in the stake speech meet and earned a superior rating.

The Relief Society held its annual dinner and fashion show in the ward cultural hall April 8. Dinner was served at 6:00 p.m., with the fashion show immediately following. Theme for the evening as "Cherry Pink and Apple Blossom White," and this motif pink and white blossoms was carried out both on the stage and at the tables. Soloist for the evening was Sister Elva Johnson. A vocal trio of Sara and Jackie Hollingshead and Melanie Epling also entertained. Models for the event were: Rhoda Magleby, Elva Johnson, Barbara Hollingshead, Naomi Kersey, Elna Bennett, Jeanine Diane Burico, Joan Magleby, Carol Blackhurst, Brenda Hood, Carla Dortzbach and her niece Diana Terrango, Jennifer Chomor, Martha, Peggy and Patty Nelson, Melanie Epling, Lunn Cooks, Shelly and Todd Budge, Karen, Jolyn, Kim and Julie Morrison, Brent and Troy Ech-

nett, Tammie Mechem, Penny and Kevan Kutsch, Rhonda and Sandra Schoonover, Mary Ellen, Adrienne Cheryl Muceus, and Debbie Long. Bishop Grant Cornelius and his wife have recently returned home from southern Utah where they attended the funeral of Bishop Cornelius' mother.

The annual Scoutorama was held March 26 at the Contra Costa County fairgrounds in Antioch. Troops participating from the Pittsburg Ward were:

Scout Troop 195—winner of blue ribbon 1st place for proficiency,—theme: "Wile Life Conservator." The boys built bird houses and displayed requirement for bird study merit badge. The Scoutmaster was Albert Lewis, and the boys were Fred Hollingshead, Mike Pate, Dennis McClean, Bill Nelson, Rickey Nelson Stan Magleby, Gary Johnson, Bill Brady and Rex Thomas.

Explorer Post 195 won a 2d place red ribbon with their theme of "Physical Fitness" displaying boxing, wrestling, and weight lifting. Roy Schoonover was their Adviser, and Dick Hollingshead, assistant. The boys were: Bill Campbell, Frank Buccellato, Nelson Astle, Howard Hood, Kim Cornelius, Mike Merrill, David Harry, Clayton Thomas and Steven Johnson.

Concluding many weeks of preparation and work by the youth of the M.I.A. was the annual ward speech meet. Twenty-five young people gave outstanding talks in the class speech meet preceding the event. Winner of each class participating on the ward level were: Mary Ellen Muceus, 1st year Beehive Carla Dortzbach, 2d year Beehive Vicki Cooks. Mia Maid, Joan Magleby, Laurel, Stanford Magleby, Scout, and Bill Campbell, Explorer.

Presentation of the trophy was made to Vicki Cooks, Mia Maid, whose subject was "You Tell Them Of Optimism." She was ward representative in the stake speech meet March 20. Certificates of achievement were presented to all participants.

Entering into the Service during recent months were Robert and John Kersey, sons of Brother and Sister Robert Kersey, Sr., and Rendell Johnson, son of Brother and Sister Rendell Johnson.

The annual Blue an Gold banquet, under chairmanship of Betty Phillips, was recently held in the Pittsburg Cultural Hall. Tables were colorfully decorated with flag place mats made by the Cub Scouts, and the patriotic theme was carried throughout the decoration scheme. An outstanding program was presented to the parents and guests and concluded with the presentation of awards to the Cubs of Pack 195.

The ward extends its condolences to members of the ward who have lost loved ones in recent weeks:

Brother and Sister Don Baker, converts whose four-year-old son and killed by a car in Logan, Utah, Stuart Cress Baker was struck where his father was attending Utah State University. Funeral services were held at Oak Park Hills Chapel, and burial was in Memory Gardens. The family has since moved back into Pittsburg Ward.

Brother and Sister Vernon Sprague, whose grandson Derek Dwyer, 4, died after a long illness.

Sister Artensia Christofferson, whose husband, Brother Bernarr Christofferson, died after a long illness. Brother and Sister Christofferson have been members of Pittsburg Ward for many years. Surviving are his widow a son LaMonte of Concord, a daughter Tess Kennon of Concord, and two brothers, Herbert of Pittsburg and Harold of Idaho.

In the last month the genealogical committee has been reorganized. Bishop Parley J. Livingston is chairman and Olof Nordin assistant chairman. Members in-

Explorers Take Big Sur Hike

By Gene Bond

Living up to their name, ten tired and dirty Explorers of San Lorenzo 2d Ward returned April 5 after 3½ days of hiking over the wilds of the Santa Lucia Mountains in the Big Sur country along the California coast. Leaving San Lorenzo at 6 p.m. Friday April 2, the Explorers began the trip which would see them hike, eat and sleep along the trail.

Under leadership of Blaine Le Cheminant, the boys were dropped off at Chew's Ridge east of Big Sur. In the 3½ days, they hiked 25 to 30 miles coming out Big Sur.

On Sunday a short Sacrament service was held on the trail.

While many wild animals were heard they kept the distance from the boys. Despite blisters on their feet the boys enjoyed their adventure.

Explorers making the trip were: Mark Tillotson Geoffrey Berriman, Richard Parry, Frank Hicks, Bob Howell, Danny Hansen, Van Adams, Steve Wilsey and Pete Rein. Blaine Le Cheminant accompanied the boys and led them along the trail.

William R. Marshall

Funeral services for William R. Marshall, 83, of Mission Ward were held April 1 in San Francisco and at Woodlawn Memorial Park. Brother Marshall a native of Scotland and longtime member of the San Francisco lathers' union, died March 27.

Surviving are his widow, Sister Zelma Marshall, a sister and brother Elizabeth and John Marshall of Edinburgh, Scotland, a stepson Gary Popkin, and cousins Peter Smith and Violet O'Conner.

clude Sisters Donna Craner, Beatrice Everertt, Lona Hawkins, Janet Erlbeck, Maureen Daines and Brothers Orlyn Christofferson, Carl Bergman.

Feb. 19 was Bay Ward Day at the stake farm. Brother John Greene was in charge of arrangements. Thirty-three members participated in planting more than 2,000 Christmas trees. A barbecued chicken luncheon was served. Our next stake farm day will be April 16.

Sister Barbara Jarman has been called as our new choir director. Ted Hopkins is choir organist. The choir is now practicing for Ward Conference April 24. The male chorus is preparing a number for the priesthood meeting.

Brother John Kennelly has been called to serve as dance director for the Bay-San Francisco Wards M.I.A. Brother Kennelly

'Come As You Are' Party For Primary

By Gene Bond

Surprised but with no time to change into other attire, officers and teachers of San Lorenzo 2d Ward Primary were met at their doors the morning of March 21, and with their children were hustled off to the home of Sister Zola Hobbs, 1st counselor, where they enjoyed a "Come-As-You-Are Party" attended by 22 adults and 13 children. Hot chocolate orange juice and doughnuts were served.

The Relief Society held a Birthday party March 30. The program featured a book review "There Goes What's-Her-Name" by Ruth Parry and musical numbers by a sextet from San Lorenzo Ward. After the program, luncheon was served by Relief Society officers and teachers. A cake especially decorated for the occasion by Colleen Chugg was served.

A bunny-making project has kept the Relief Society sisters busy, using old bleach bottles, the ladies transformed them into bunnies. About 90 were made and sold. The project became a good missionary tool as neighbors and friends became enthusiastic about the project and came to help make them. Several of these ladies have continued to attend other Relief Society meetings.

Quilters have been busy under direction of Sister Anna Shields, keeping up with orders for baby quilts.

Members of the elders' quorum and their partners enjoyed a night of bowling April 2 in Hayward. Later pizza was served.

The teachers' quorum has been reorganized. Released were: Peter Easton president, Alan Wheeler 1st counselor, and Mark Tillotson 2d counselor. The new presidency comprises: Alan Wheeler president, Mark Tillotson 1st counselor, Van Adams 2d counselor, Danny Hansen remains as secretary.

Marilyn Wilson has been sustained to the Primary board and junior Prwill serve as chorister for the junior Primary.

Sustained to the Sunday School board are Peter Teo and Elaine Romer. Inez Sutton has been released from the YWMTA board.

Michael L. Carlson, Richard E. Nickolaette, David Wheeler, and Gary L. Ellafsen are recent Primary graduates.

Ell Ellafsen is new Cubmaster for Pack No. 625.

Recent ordinations in the Priesthood include Peter D. Easton, priest; Bruce Tillotson, teacher; David L. Wheeler, Gary L. Ellafsen and Richard E. Nickolaette.

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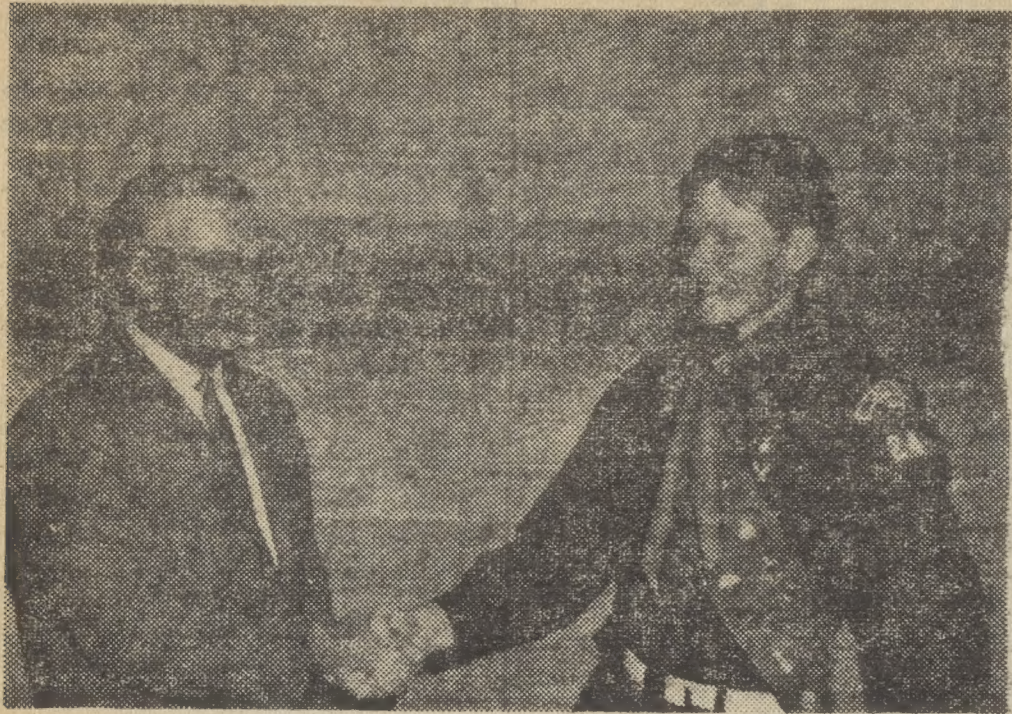
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Bob Johnson Jr 'Makes' Eagle



Judge Norman A. Gregg of the Contra County Superior Court congratulates Robert C. Johnson of Explorer Post 249 on receipt of his Eagle Scout award. Judge Gregg acting as a district commissioner of Mr. Diablo Council conducted the Eagle award ceremony March 25.

Robert C. Johnson, of Lafayette-Orinda Ward's troop and Explorer post 24, received his Eagle Scout award at a National Court of Honor at Danville Ward Chapel March 25.

In presenting the Eagle award, Judge Norman A. Gregg had a surprise for Bob; a personal note from Maj. Gen. William F. Dean

advising Bob to "wear it proudly." Judge Gregg noted Bob's service to younger boys including Den Chief helping Cub Scouts; Senior Patrol Leader in Troop 249, and assisting in a training course after attending a session at Philmont Scout Ranch, New Mexico. Bob was inducted into the Walnut Creek Stake Eagle's nest by Eagle Scouts led by Mike Wheable.

Bob now assists the Primary association with gathering-time activities for children before entering the chapel. He is a grandson of J. Edward Johnson, chairman of the first LDS Scout troop in Mt. Diablo Council, formed in the Berkeley Ward in late 1928.

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El Cerrito Ward

Karen Uber Wins Speech Festival

By Marilla Bodily

El Cerrito Mutual and ward are proud of Karen Uber first year Beehive, who won the ward speech festival, and represented the ward at the stake Speech Festival April 24.

The Gold and Green Ball, April 15, was sponsored by the Mutual. Decorations were provided on the Carousel theme with music by The Nite Owls, a talented group of local high schoolers. An open house for the young people preceded the dance at Mutual president Lea Woolf's home.

Tom Young, son of Harriet and Tom Young, has just returned from his Tonga Mission. Tom as an outstanding missionary to the people of Fiji and Tonga. He will report to the ward at 4 p.m. May 22. He labored under President Dalton, whose wife is the daughter of one of our ward member Oscar Jespersen. On his return home he came through western Samoa where he met Carl Fonoimoana and Melvin Lewis.

Sister Evelyn Parker, Mia Maid teacher, organized a camping trip for April 1 to 3 on Mt. Diablo. Attending from the two Mia Maid classes were: Dana Butler, Chris Caldwell, Pat Cluff, Laura DeMauro, Vaunee Ann Larson, Vickie Lewis, Karen Lyles, Elaine Owens, Cheryl Parker, Nancy Price, Paula Taufer, and Sally Turner. In addition to Joel and Evelyn Parker and their two younger girls were Dave and Jean Birkeland Mutual Activities Councilors, and their two small sons Warren and Vaunee Larson, expert campers and nature leaders. Warren has been President of the Golden Gate Audubon Society for to years.

The girls reached Mt. Diablo about 3:30 p.m. Friday and started to set up camp. They had two visitors that evening—raccoons, but they didn't bother the girls. The activities included hikes to the summit of Mt. Diablo and Rock City, "damp" fight, skits around the campfire, and an inspiring Fast and Testimony meeting Sunday.

The trip fulfilled a promise from Evelyn Parker after last summer again before this summer's camp.

El Cerrito Ward Seminars planned a beach party at San Gregorio Beach during the Easter holidays. They included members of the Berkeley and Richmond Ward Seminars as well as a few of their graduates on vacation from college. Thirty-four students bussed down and back accompanied by Lea Woolf Harriet Young, Don and Sandy Dubinsky as chaperones. A wonderful foggy, cold swimming party was had by all with a beach fire to warm them and keep up the lively spirit.

A pot luck dinner will be held May 7th, sponsored by the Relief Society.

David Owens, son of Dick and Margaret Owens was graduated from Harvard Law School last June, has passed the California State Bar examination, and is now licensed to practice law in the State. David practiced for the last nine months in San Francisco, and left March 21 for Fort Benning, Ga., to serve as a commissioned officer in army security and intelligence.

Robert Baer, son of Kay and Leon Baer passed the bar at the same time. Robert attended Boalt Law School University of California and is active in University Ward.

What Name To Give Adults' Fireside?

Adults of all ages in Hayward Ward have been holding Sunday evening firesides in homes of members, enjoying themselves, learning something, and trying to find a name that covered the situation.

Young Marrieds—few felt THAT young! Old Marrieds—who would young! Old Married—who would Club? The delicious treats that followed made that a mockery.

In the March meeting in the home of Vince and Donna Maldonado it was decided that "Adult Fireside" was most suitable and the group settled down to hear Vic Simard give the first of two lessons on the personality and character of Joseph Smith.

The April meeting was at the home of the Phil Shanes and continued with the study of Joseph Smith. In later months the spotlight will be on each president of the Church in turn.

The group gets together for one social each month, in addition to the fireside. In March they gathered at the Murphys' for chip and dips before the Gold and Green Ball.

Alan Balmforth has really been "jumping" at Brigham Young University—well vaulting! He placed first in the tri-meet between BYU University of Utah, and Utah State University with a pole vault record of 15'1". His local fans will be able to see him in action April 30 at U.C. Berkeley for a tri-meet with BY San Jose State, and the University of California.

Friends of Diana Malstrom Smoot and Stanley Smoot will rejoice to hear that Easter Sunday April 10, they had a son born in Salt Lake City weighing 8 pounds and 15 ounces.

Non-Profit Corp. To Aid Building Fund

By Arvilla Poppe

Clayton Valley Building Fund, Inc., a non-profit corporation, has been formed in Clayton Valley Ward. Brethren will be available to build fences, patios or whatever you need and plan to go in to home building and remodeling. Proceeds will go to the ward building fund.

Dave Simister finance chairman of the building fund, was called as president of the corporation with Kay Blatter vice president, Bill Anderson secretary and legal advisor and Mary Johnson recording secretary. Members of the board are Leon Bowden, George Hawkes, Bob Smead, Vic Hansen, Lou Allen, and Gomer Arnold of the bishopric.

April 14 was an evening out as guests of the bishopric for 16 Aaronic Priesthood boys and their advisors guests at a Smorgasbord dinner. The boys and just earned certificates of achievement.

Bishop William Sutton and family attended General Conference in Salt Lake. While away they extended their trip to Boise, Ida., for a visit with former ward members Bob and Trudi Bolinder.

Because of heavy traffic of three wards meeting in one building, the bishopric has received permission to hold Fast and Testimony meeting the 2d Sunday of the month. The first on this schedule will be May 8, Mothers' Day, 12:15 p.m.

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NORA LOIS VERHAAREN and Larry Dan Lloyd were married April 2 in the Oakland Temple and were honored at a reception that evening in the Oakland Fourth Ward cultural hall. Nora is daughter of Lynnette and Werner L. Verhaaren of Oakland; and Larry is son of Louise and Francis Ford Lloyd of Fremont.



JULIA EAMES, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Eames of Pleasant Hill, became the bride of DONALD E. CLEVELAND at the Oakland Temple Jan. 15. They were married by Temple president Delbert F. Wright. An open house followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Scott of Pleasant Hill. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Cleveland of Pleasant Hill. He has served four years in the U.S. Marines and recently returned from a 2½-year mission to Japan. The young people are making their home in Concord and plan to resume their studies at Diablo Valley College in the autumn.

Black Friday For Lafayette, Orinda

By Bob and June Johnson

Not with standing sunny skies it was a black Friday for Lafayette and Orinda wards April 22 when two members of the wards died.

Mary Christine Karl, 81, a native New Jersey was released from the pain and in firmity of a long illness to rejoin friends and members of her family who preceded her. An adventurous spirit; she had lived in many of the legendary mining camps of Nevada, and California, including Death Valley, Canada, and Alaska. She lived a charmed life; one brush with death being when she survived a brick wall falling on her

in the 1906 San Francisco earthquake. She as a friend of Death Valley Scotty.

A Convert to the Church late in life; largely through efforts of the Ken Everett family Mary's white head and friendly smile were well known, as as her needlework in the Walnut Creek and Lafayette - Orinda Wards since 1957. Surviving are her sister, Esther Wakeman Eccles; now of Irvington, and two nephews. Her funeral as conducted by Bishop Owen W. Collett of Lafayette Ward.

The untimely death of James Scott Barker, 15, a teacher in the new Orinda Ward; in the Monte Alto High School swimming pool came as a shock to his family schoolmates and friends. His parents James T. and Eleanor Barker; and his sister Susan survive. His funeral was conducted by Bishop M. Donald Merrill of Orinda Ward with interment at Salt Lake.

Nora Verhaaren, Larry Lloyd Wed April 2

Nora Lois Verhaaren and Larry Dan Lloyd were married in the Oakland Temple April 2, and on the same evening were honored at a reception at the Oakland Fourth ward.

Nora is the daughter of Werner L. and Lynnette Verhaaren of the Oakland Fourth ward. Werner is a President of Seventies in the 247th quorum. Nora attended Oakland City College and Brigham Young University.

Larry is the son of Louise and Francis Ford Lloyd of Fremont, California, formerly of Salt Lake City. He attended the University of Utah until his call to serve on a mission to Norway 1962-1965. He is currently attending school and working for Sherwin Williams Paint company in Castro Valley.

Both Larry and Nora have been active in the district and Stake M. Men and Gleaner councils.

They have set up temporary residence in the Oakland Fourth ward awaiting Larry's call to military service.



Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Collins of Oakland Ward have announced the enagement of their daughter MARY ANN to Clair Barton Anderson of Heber City, Utah. Both young people are students at Brigham Young University. Mr. and Mrs. Ervin J. Anderson of Heber City are the parents of the future bridegroom.

Mary Ann is a graduate of Skyline High School in Oakland and is a sister of Mrs. Richard C. Loomis of that city and Roger Collins of San Mateo. Her fiancée attended Utah State University before fulfilling a Central British Mission. He is affiliated with Delta Phi Kappa fraternity. The engaged couple are making plans for a Sept. 9 wedding in the Oakland Temple. They will both resume their studies at BYU in the fall.

A farewell testimonial in honor of Elder JAMES ALAM THOMSEN, 19, son of Kenneth A. and Martha P. Thomsen, was held April 17. in the Mission Ward Chapel, before his departure for the Western States Mission.

James was ordained an elder on March 20 by San Francisco Stake President, Irven G. Derrick. He received his Duty to God award in 1965. He also has the four year Seminar diploma. He has been a member of Mission Ward for 10 years. During that time, he has been active in MIA, Primary and Sunday School, the choir, has held positions in the ward auxiliaries, and taught in the Sunday School.

ents James T. and Eleanor Barker; and his sister Susan survive. His funeral was conducted by Bishop M. Donald Merrill of Orinda Ward with interment at Salt Lake.

Forster - Sanson



The marriage of MADELENE GAIL FORSTER; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold M. Forster, of Albany, to George Winferd Sanson; son of Mrs. William D. Sanson and the late Mr. Sanson, Feb. 19; was held in the Oakland Temple. The service was performed by Patriarch Stephen H. Winter. Madelene is a member of El Cerrito Ward and George is from Oakland 1st Ward. After the marriage ceremony there was a wedding breakfast and reception that afternoon in the Oakland 1st Ward cultural hall. Madelene joined the Church Sept. 16; 1963 and George in December 1963.

El Cerrito Ward David Larson Wins Physics Honors

A Eugene Higgins scholarship in physics to Columbia University in New York for DAVID LARSON, son of Vaunee and Warren Larson of El Cerrito Ward, has brought him the additional joy of a beautiful life's companion. David met SUSAN STUCKLEN last September when he moved into the same apartment house and attended the same ward.

She was in her third year at Julliard School of Music. By November they were engaged and had an announcement party at Christmas time at David's home in Berkeley. They were married in the Oakland Temple by President Kenner March 26, had a family wedding breakfast; and a reception at the Institute of Religion in Berkeley that evening where David had been a member during his undergraduate days at the University of California. Attending the bride were David's three sisters, Lora Beth, maid of honor, Vaunee Ann and Mary Lou. Neil was his brother's best man.

Susan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stucklen of Westbury; Long Island; New York. During high school she became an accomplished flutist. As a senior she was recognized as Outstanding Girl in high school and received awards in music, French and Spanish. She attended Oberlin College for two years majoring in literature, then decided she wanted to concentrate on music so transferred to Julliard on a scholarship where she has worked the last three years for her degree. Although her parents are now members they allowed her to join the Church when fourteen. She has been a dedicated member with marriage in the Oakland Temple the culmination of her desires.

Congratulations to Don and Sandy Dubinsky who were married in the Oakland Temple March 19 and had their infant daughter, Sabrina Dawn sealed to them. Sandy was thrilled to practice what she is teaching her Beehive girls in Mutual.

San Jose Mayor Is Candidate For State Controller



JOSEPH L. PACE, a member of the High Council of San Jose stake, and former mayor of San Jose, is a candidate for state controller; on the Republican ticket. Dr. Pace is a member of the American Medical association the Santa Clara County Medical Society California State Medical Association, American Association of General Practitioners and World Medical Association. He received his B.A. a Brigham Young University and his M.D. at the University of Chicago. He served 11 months carrier duty in World War II's Pacific actions including the invasion of the Marianna Islands and the First and Second Battle of the Phillipine Sea. Local backers include Mrs. Roger Clyde, Albert P. Heiner and Ned Clyde.

Hayward 2d Ward
New 2d Counselor



By Mel Venturi

LA VERE ADAMS new 2d counselor in the bishopric of Hayward 2d Ward, completed a mission in southern California 1954 to 1956 was graduated from BYU in 1958, and earned his bachelor's degree at Purdue University in 1964. He teaches physics and math at high school. He has been active in Church activities, especially in M.I.A. He is a fluent speaker; talented in drama; and has been stake and ward dance director several times. In the last few months he has moved up from M.I.A. presidency to elders quorum president and now to the bishopric.

Darryl Steinicke; former 2d counselor and his wife Irene were well liked and willing. We are sorry to lose them from the Ward. While at conference in Salt Lake Darrell received an offer of a position and they stayed.

Karma and Gary Blacker are parents of a new baby girl. Mother and baby are doing well.

Brother Voigt is back among us again after a serious illness and long stay in the hospital. He looks fine now.

The Relief Society made and sold for Easter bunnies and ducks made from bleach bottles.

The Ward choir presented an Easter cantata beautifully done and enjoyed by a large audience.

Hayward Ward
Cub Scouts Saving Hisses For Villain

By Marge Simard

Hissing the villain will be the fun of the evening May 13 when Cub Scout Pack 802 sponsors its annual theater party at Palomares. The melodrama is entitled "The Course of the Devil's Eye" or "Fast Friends Foil a Friend" and is presented by the well-known Chanticleers. Tickets may be obtained from any of the Cub Scouts or their leaders at the suggested donated of \$2.25. Refreshments will be served at intermission under direction of Sister Jackie Stock, whose husband Dr. Ferron Stock is in charge of finances for the pack. Anyone over 12 years old is sure to enjoy this fine performance in the little old school house on Palomares Rd., just out of Castro Valley.

Singing mothers of Hayward ward are practicing for May 14, when they will join with others in the stake to present the Stake Relief Society singing mothers concert. Carol Grimes is ward Relief Society choister and practices are under her direction, with Gweneth Edmunds accompanying.

Ward members are invited to remember the rummage sale in August and be saving all their best rumage to help the Relief Society carry on its fine work. The Ross McClellan's have provided storage space in a building at the back of their property. Questions may be directed to Sister Dorothy Shane, president, at LU 29626.

Aaronic Priesthood members; girls of the same age, and their

News and Views,
Vi's and Lue's

By Lue Seavers & Violet Pinckney

Lue Seavers (our reporter) was happily surprised at the Relief Society's birthday luncheon when she was honored and given a pin for having the longest continuous record of visiting teaching in the ward, 34 years. Anna Mae Zundel, president read a tribute to "Visiting Teachers" and Erma Lane, counselor gave a brief sketch of Lue's life given to her sister Medie Hughes which included some humorous bits and mentioned some of the Church positions she has held. She was Alameda's first Primary President when the ward was organized taught Sunday School many years, worked in M.I.A. 22 years, served as president 16 years consecutively. Lue is the mother of two sons who have five children each. She says that she has had a testimony of the Gospel as long as she can remember.

Don and Medie Hughes have been visiting in Idaho and Utah for the last month, with Bishop and Elaine Hughes Parry in Melba Idaho, and Don, Jr. his wife, Darlene, and their two little sons at Panguitch, Utah where Don has a counseling job at two high schools within 60 miles. Bonnie, daughter of the Parrys is now in Alameda to stay with Grandma and Grandpa Hughes and hopes to find a job here.

Salt Lake visitors for conference were Bishop Sam Gardner and family. Counselor Lee M. Robinson and family were gone ten days, combining their vacation. Thys and Reba Winkel and Dr. John Berghout who also spent sometime at B.Y.U. Also combining vacation and conference was ward clerk, Joseph Tolman and his wife Faye. They went on to Pocatello, Idaho. Faye hasn't been well the last five months.

The fashion Show "Carousel," sponsored by the Relief Society and directed by Walter and Kay Napoleon was beautiful and successful. Walter closed his Shop for several days to enable them to do this. The Cultural Hall was a pretty setting the next evening for the "Farewell" to honor Bishop and Hazel Bangerter who are moving back to Utah. Many former members were on hand to bid them good luck and "Aloha."

Elder Richard Williams is zone leader at Calgary and says he is enjoying every minute of it despite the fast pace. Says they met with a missionary of the Reorganized Church and that it really gave strength to his already strong testimony. Elder Allen Buskirk in France is also zone leader and is busy traveling, enjoying his duties.

Brother Dagley has been on the sick list for a couple of weeks, with his heart acting up a bit.

leaders enjoyed a day of sun and sand at Sunset Beach on April 30, climaxed by a dance in the evening.

The love and service of Primary workers will be praised on June 5 when "The Miracle of a Teacher" will be presented in the chapel at 3:30 p.m. Sister Nellie Gold ward inservice teacher, is in charge of the production under the direction of Sister Carol Van Leeuwen, president. Through narration, talks, music and tableaux it will show the inspiration and help Primary teachers have been in the lives of their students. Many ours have been spent with the children to teach them the songs. The talented sisters who have worked with the children include Sisters Joan Hamblin; Carol Stewart, Becky Wilson, Jane Smit, Sandra Gleason, and Aileen Sylvester. Narrator will be President Joel Gold. Special music will be sung by Brother and Sister Blaine Wilson and Brother and Sister Don Grimes. Refreshments will be served following the hour-long program.

Richmond Ward

SCHWARTZ-SINGLETON

By Mima Williams

MYRNA LORETTA SCWARTZ became the bride of **WILLIAM WADE SINGLETON** in a ceremony at the Oakland Temple performed by Lee Kenner of the Temple presidency.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Schwadtz of Pinole former residents of Richmond Ward. Elder Singleton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Singleton of Center Alabama.

Myrna was graduated from Richmond Union High School and has been employed by a San Francisco banking firm.

Her bridegroom has completed four years of service with the Air Force at Travis Air Force Base. He was graduated from Cherokee County High School and attended Jacksonville State College in Alabama before entering the service.

A reception was held the wedding in the Cultural Hall of Richmond Ward. Maid of honor was Barbara L. Golightly of Richmond with Bryan Roldan from Travis as best man.

Out of town guests included Myrna's maternal grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Nicholas of Brigham City, Utah, aunts Mrs. Giles of Carlin Nev., and Mrs. Ila Lynch and daughter from Sacramento.

The young people plan to live in Centre Ala.

Funeral services were conducted recently in Bountiful Utah for Joseph Leo Williams; former member of East Richmond Ward. Brother Williams was a native of Chesterfield; Ida, and served a mission in the Northern States. He was a Veteran of World War I.

Interment was at Gridley. He resided for many years with his daughter, Mrs. Clinton H. Esperson.

Funeral services were conducted April 11 at the Richmond Ward chapel for Mary Alice Raine of Walnut Creek. Sister Raine, 80, was a former member of Richmond Ward.

A native of Salt Lake City, Utah she had lived in San Francisco, San Rafael, Richmon, and Walnut Creek. Surviving are Della Child of Walnut Creek, Mrs. Vernetta Slater and Sidney Raine of Concord; Edgar Raine of San Jose; and Jay Raine of Daily City, and a brother Edgar Medwed of Forest Grove, Oregon. There are 22 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted under direction of William F. Charles. Speakers included Bishop Earl L. Amtoft and Harold E. DeLaMare. Invocation was by Ernest Henderson and vocal music by James S. Adams, accompanied by Frances Mahoney. L. Allen Tidwell offered the benediction. Organ prelude was by LaWona Charles. Member of the high priest quorum were as pallbearers.

Interment followed at Wasatch Lawn Cemetery in Salt Lake City.

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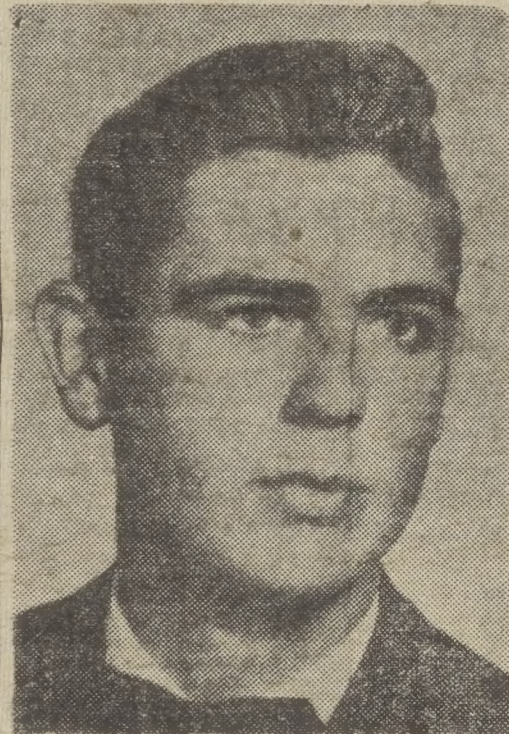
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Elder **ALBERT THOMAS** left recently for New England Mission. His farewell was held in the Hayward 2d Ward Chapel. Many friends attended to wish him success and happiness in the Mission field. Elder Thomas was a convert to the Church at an early age, but always said he wanted to go on a Mission. He worked and saved his money to make it possible. He has taken an active part in activities and has held leadership positions in both school and Church.

the language school at Brigham Young University.

Brad's farewell testimonial was held in the Hayward Ward Chapel April 17. Among those who spoke on his program was Gert, rude Lesser, one of the missionaries who gave Brad the missionary lesson in 1956 when he became a convert to the Church. Bishop Bernard O. Stewart and his counselor Jacob Hamblin also spoke. Special music was furnished by Marce Wallace who played a medley of hymns on the organ; and by Ray Williams who sang.

At the time of his mission call: Brad was serving as assistant Explorer leader; and took the Explorer on a successful outing to Los Mochos during Easter vacation. His hobbies are hunting and fishing. He has been working since his graduation from Hayward High School in 1964.

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After the wedding an open house and reception for the young couple was held at the Del Monte home of the bride's parents. The couple plans to live in Carson City, Nevada.

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